

JAMES BAILEY.

[To accompany bill H. R. No. 192.]

MARCH 5, 1840.

Mr. Doan, from the Committee on Invalid Pensions, made the following

REPORT :

*The Committee on Invalid Pensions, to whom was referred the petition of James Bailey, having had the same under consideration, report :*

That the petitioner was a soldier of the last war ; and in the battle of Bridgewater, in the year 1814, he received a wound in his left arm by a musket-ball, which fractured the bones and rendered the elbow-joint stiff, and the arm nearly useless ; for which he was placed on the roll of invalid pensioners, at the rate of three dollars and seventy-five cents per month : that he continued to receive said pension until 1818, when, for the purpose of availing himself of the provisions of the statute of that year, he relinquished his right to this pension, and was placed upon the roll of pensioners under the said statute of 1818, and has ever since, and still continues to receive his pension under that law.

It further appears from the statement of the petitioner, that he is wholly destitute of property ; that he is far advanced in age, being eighty-two years old ; that his wife is seventy-seven, and that he has no children of sufficient ability to afford him any support.

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